## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

## OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF	)
DELMARVA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY FOR AN	)
INCREASE IN ELECTRIC BASE RATES AND	) PSC Docket No. 17-0977
MISCELLANEOUS TARIFF CHANGES	)
(FILED AUGUST 17, 2017)	)

## PUBLIC NOTICE OF APPLICATION OF DELMARVA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY FOR AN INCREASE IN ELECTRIC BASE RATES AND MISCELLANEOUS TARIFF CHARGES

## TO: ALL ELECTRIC CUSTOMERS OF DELMARVA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY:

On August 17, 2017, Delmarva Power & Light Company ("Delmarva" or "the Company") filed an application with the Delaware Public Service Commission ("the Commission") seeking approval for an increase in its electric base rates and for miscellaneous tariff changes.

In its application, Delmarva seeks an increase in annual operating revenues of \$24,425,436 or 4.5% over present existing rates.<sup>1</sup>

SERVICE CLASSIFICATION	PROPOSED INCREASED	
	Amount	Percent
		(% Increase)
RES-TOU-ND	\$5 <b>,</b> 920	%3 <b>.</b> 7
RES	\$10,533,166	84.1
RSH	\$6,147,296	%5.0
SGS-ND	\$489 <b>,</b> 020	%2.4
MGS-S	\$1,715,743	%2 <b>.</b> 4

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> "Present existing rates" includes total booked revenues for the Company, including revenues for energy costs supplied by third parties. Delmarva's distribution revenues for the twelve month period ending May 31, 2017 are approximately 45% of total booked revenues or \$241,401,091. The Application requests a 10.1% increase in Delmarva's distribution revenues. See Sch. D, page 1 of 2 of the Minimum Filing Requirements, of the Application...

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GS-SH	\$21,650	%2.4
GS-WH	\$936	%2.4
ORL	\$1,104	%2.2
LGS-S	\$1,073,722	84.6
GS-P	\$3,863,276	%13.6
GS-T	\$15,872	%4.3
OL	\$557 <b>,</b> 728	84.1
Total	\$24,425,436	%4.5

On August 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2017, in Order No. 9108, pursuant to 26 Del C. §306(a)(1), the Commission suspended the effectiveness of the proposed new rates and tariff revisions pending further investigation, public comment sessions, and public evidentiary hearings, which will be held after further public notice. However, in Order No. 9108, pursuant to 26 Del C. §306(c), the Commission authorized Delmarva to place a portion of proposed increases into effect, subject to refund, sixty (60) days after the initial August 17, 2017 filing date, or on October 16, 2017. The Commission also granted Delmarva's request to accept the Company's current financial condition and credit rating as sufficient surety with respect to implementation of the interim rates.

The Commission will make its decision on this matter on the basis of the record evidence taken at the public evidentiary hearings. The Commission may approve or reject, in whole or in part, the proposed increase and tariff revisions and may approve a different method for allocating any increase should one be found to be appropriate.

You are invited to review Delmarva's application and supporting documents to determine how your interest may be affected by going to DelaFile (<a href="http://delafile.delaware.gov">http://delafile.delaware.gov</a>), the Commission's docketing and file management system, and by searching for Docket No. 17-0977.

If you wish to formally participate as a party in this matter, with the right to present evidence and be represented by counsel, you must file with the Commission a petition asking for leave to intervene in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (26 Del. Admin. C. \$1001-2.9) on or before September 29, 2017. All such petitions should be filed in DelaFile according to the Commission's Rules (26 Del. Admin. C. \$1001-1.6.4). Petitions filed after the deadline of September 29, 2017, will not be considered except for good cause shown. Interveners must comply with the procedural schedule in place at the time intervention is granted, including deadlines established prior to the granting of intervener status.

If you would like to review documents at the Commission's offices, please contact Donna Nickerson at (302) 736-7500 or by sending an email addressed to <a href="mailto:donna.nickerson@state.de.us">donna.nickerson@state.de.us</a>. You may also review copies of Delmarva's application and supporting documents at the offices of the Division of the Public Advocate located at 820 North French Street, 4th Floor, Wilmington,

Delaware 19801 or 29 South State Street, Dover, Delaware 19901. Please call either (302) 577-5077 or (302) 241-2555 to arrange for a time to review the documents at either of those locations.

If you wish to request copies of documents in this matter, please submit a Freedom of Information Act Request Form. The link to this form can be found on the Commission's website, <a href="http://depsc.delaware.gov">http://depsc.delaware.gov</a>, or by visiting this web address: <a href="https://delafile.delaware.gov/Complaints/FOIA.aspx">https://delafile.delaware.gov/Complaints/FOIA.aspx</a>. The Commission will respond to your request in accordance with the Delaware Freedom of Information Act, 29 Del. C. ch. 100.

If you have a disability and wish to participate or to review the materials in this matter, please contact the Commission to discuss any auxiliary aids or services you might need to help you. You may contact the Commission in person, by writing, by telephone (including text telephone), by Internet email, or other means.

If you have questions about this matter, you may call the Commission at 1-800-282-8574 (toll-free in Delaware) or (302) 736-7500 (voice and text telephone). You may also send questions regarding this matter by Internet e-mail addressed to psc@state.de.us with "Docket No. 17-0977" in the subject line.